GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
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IA FLIGHTS FROM TRIVANDRUM TO DELHI
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that situation of Indian Airlines flights from Trivandrum to Delhi has been deteriorated; and

(b) if so, the steps being taken by the Government to improve the situation of flights in the Trivandrum-Delhi sector?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a): With effect from 1st May, 2006, due to operational constraints, a total of 22 flights, including Delhi-Mumbai-Trivandrum flight, were withdrawn. With the improvement in the aicraft availability, this flight was restored on 1st August, 2006. However, Trivandrum to Delhi flight remained unaffected.

(b): The equipment on the Trivandrum-Mumbai-Delhi and v.v. route has been upgraded from A-319 to A-320 from 1st May, 2007 so as to offer more number of seats in both business and economy class.